

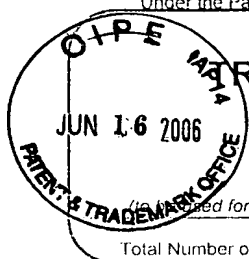
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- 1) International Patent Application No. PCT/US05/34283, now published No. 06/039218, April 13, 2006
- 2) US Patent Application No. 10/572,238 filed March 17, 2006
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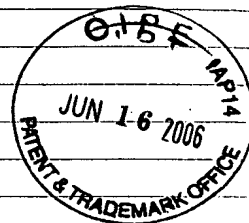
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